

THE DAILY and WEEKLY HERALD has more than double the circulation of any other paper published in Southern California. Business men recognize it accordingly as the best advertising medium South of San Francisco.

FRIDAY, JAN. 28, 1876.

RUMOR says that Mr. BALDWIN thinks the bursted bank will pay its creditors ten cents on the dollar. This is cheering news to those who heeded the assurance of the Express that the bank was all right and passed their money over its counter.

THE property of some of the sureties on the bond of the County Treasurer elect, is encumbered with those unpleasant additions to property called mortgages, and we understand additional sureties will be required. The authorities will be doing but their duty in requiring the most satisfactory security for the safety of the people's money. These are times when we cannot be too careful.

SEVERAL suits, involving quite a large sum, have been commenced against the bank of TEMPLE & WORKMAN, and an effort will be made to throw the firm into insolvency. It is also claimed that the holders of mortgages not six months old will be compelled to take their chance with the unsecured creditors. If this can be done, which we do not believe, "LUCKY" BALDWIN will have made an unlucky venture with his three hundred and ten thousand dollars.

It seems strange that so long a time should be required in which to make up a statement of the affairs of TEMPLE & WORKMAN's bank, when it is remembered that the bank was only open one month after being closed three months, during which time a full statement of the concern's indebtedness was made up and forwarded to San Francisco. If the affairs were fully footed up during the period that no business was transacted, twenty days should not be required to straighten out the thirty days' business.

Copying a French Law.

Senator LAINE has introduced a bill to compel newspaper publishers to affix to every article that appears in their columns, the name of the writer. If this bill should become law and its provisions are enforced the people would, for the first time, learn who edited the papers that some people publish. It would be discovered that men who own and publish newspapers in San Francisco are not the authors of the editorials that fill their columns, and so far from writing an article they cannot write English. The best writers of San Francisco are not known to the community as editors. They furnish the brains, and some money-grub supplies the press and type, and pockets the profits of the business. But aside from this, we inclined to the opinion that the law would work well here as it does in France. It would certainly prevent the publication of a great deal of stuff that now finds its way into type. Anonymous correspondence is the channel through which much is printed that should be consigned to the waste basket. The writers of a great many letters would never dip pen in ink did they know that in addition to giving their name to the editor, it must also be signed to the communication. But from an editorial standpoint, the law would be operative. The editor is responsible for the editorials of his paper, and assuming such responsibility he also assumes the right to sign his own or no name to them as he so pleases. Only so far as they thought proper would publishers obey the law, even should Senator LAINE's bill reach that dignity.

The Difference.

The Southern Overland Railroad resolutions recently adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of this city operate on the San Diego Union like a red undergarment on an untamed bovine of Spanish extraction. The Union well knows that any movement favoring the donation of public lands to the company that will first build a railroad across the continent is a movement against the TOM SCOTT subsidy scheme. There is this difference between the sentiments of the people of Los Angeles, as expressed in the resolutions of the Chamber of Commerce, and those of the Union. One recognizes the fact that the road is greatly needed, and its advantages to the country will be the same, no matter who builds it, while the other will have no railroad unless it is built by TOM SCOTT, and rather than have it built by any other company or person it is willing that the great want of the country shall go unsatisfied. The persistent advocacy of the Scott scheme by the Union will ultimately work serious injury to the interests of San Diego county. It is not within the range of possibility that Congress will give SCOTT and his associates three hundred million dollars to build a road which another company offers to build for the land donation forfeited by the Texas Pacific railroad company. In view of the great difference in the two propositions it seems bad judgment on the part of the San Diego people to insist on the most objectionable measure and to aver that they will have it or nothing.

Let Facts be Known.

We feel called upon to warn the creditors of TEMPLE & WORKMAN's Bank to place no reliance in either the statements or conclusions of the Express, which is now using its columns in the interest of one or two of the heavy claimants against the firm. From the day the Bank re-opened to that on which it closed, almost every issue of that paper contained one or more articles assuring the public that the establishment was on a perfectly sound basis, and was a perfectly safe place in which to deposit funds. These statements were made through gross ignorance, or a wilful intention to mislead and deceive the people. No matter from what source they originated, they prove the paper an ignorant yelp or an intentional falsifier whose assertions are totally unreliable. When the Bank closed its doors forever, this same unreliable, toadying, demagogic, fraud and libel on respectable journalism commenced assuring those whom its protestations of the Bank's soundness and stability had induced to deposit their money there, that if they would only be patient they would receive their money dollar for dollar, and to give its statements the color of truth, it foots up assets that are known to be worthless and estimates real estate at double what it is worth and more than double what it will sell for at forced sale. Of course those who suffered through the false assurances of this toadying satellite of any man who has money, while the Bank was open will not heed its assertions now, but we deem it the duty of the HERALD as an honest, independent journal that dares to utter what it believes to be the truth on all occasions, to warn the depositors of the closed Bank to beware of the semi-official statements of the Express. You know it deceived you once and you have every reason to believe it is seeking to deceive you again. The HERALD's estimate of the firm's assets and liabilities as given yesterday morning is conceded by all fair-minded men to be nearer the mark than any yet made. On the real estate we fixed not its real value, but what it would realize at a forced sale. That is the estimate at which the creditors must regard it. Mr. TEMPLE has not a more sincere friend than the HERALD, and no one feels a deeper sympathy for him than we. We have maintained from the first that he has not intentionally wronged any one out of a cent. He is a victim to circumstances that he could not foresee or control. When his bank suspended four months ago we believed he should have gone into liquidation. When his bank closed a few days ago, we believed he should have gone into bankruptcy. We believe that this course is the best that can be adopted for both himself and his creditors. If what is rumored on the streets is true, on the plan now being carried out, the property will be frittered away. The depositors and small creditors will get little or nothing, and Mr. TEMPLE will be left with a heavy indebtedness hanging over his head. By going into insolvency he pays a pro rata to all his creditors, and when the assets are exhausted he is relieved of further liability. Would not this course be better for all concerned? It certainly would, yet for believing and advocating this the HERALD is denounced by the most unreliable, sycophantic dirt-eating sheet that ever became the laughing stock of a community, as the enemy of Mr. TEMPLE and the assailer of his business. If Mr. TEMPLE had had more friends like the HERALD, who dared to tell the truth and warn him against the toadies and leeches that surrounded him, begging, borrowing and stealing his substance, he would now have been a happy and prosperous man, possessing the confidence as he does the sympathy and friendship of all who know him.

Last evening the Tennessee Jubilee Singers gave their second concert to a crowded house. The enthusiasm created by their first appearance was increased ten-fold, and the manner in which each song was received must have been extremely gratifying to the performers. It would be useless to attempt to give a description of the entertainment. It was unique, and only those who have witnessed the slave in his home and at camp-meeting in the old time, who have not witnessed the performance of this band of singers, can have any idea of its character; it was funny and pathetic, wild and weird, it was inevitable. No white company could sing those songs with the same effect. Their quaint melodies drew tears from the eyes of many, mingled with smiles, and no doubt recalled the days of their childhood more vividly than anything else could have done. One old colored lady who sat near us, with the smiles and tears blended on her face, would now and then in a low voice join in the choruses, evidently quite forgetful that she was not back in the old cabin home. We had intended to hear a few songs and then go to our work, but we could not get away. We stayed to hear one more until the last had been sung.

New Patents.

Through Dewey & Co., Patent Agents, San Francisco, we receive the following advance list of U. S. Patents, granted to Pacific coast inventors, viz: J. S. Harbison, San Diego, Cal., granted exclusive to beehives; M. Lauenburg, S. F., plow points; J. O'Farrell, S. F., hydraulic mining; E. O'Neil, S. F., process of engraving on glass; E. J. Barlow, wrench (3 cases); D. W. Hunt, S. F., reissue, machine for kyanizing wood.

The Committee appointed by the Board of Real Estate Brokers to draft a constitution and by-laws, will meet this afternoon at the office of Howard & Seymour at 3 o'clock.

Latest Telegrams.

Dispatches of American Press Association by A. & P. Telegraph Co.

[SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.]

PACIFIC COAST.

San Francisco News.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27th.—An autopsy in the case of Adolf Weimer, a drug clerk who was found dead in his bed at the Swiss Hotel on Monday morning shows that he did not die from any natural causes, and there is no doubt that he committed suicide.

Chas. Clay was taken to the Police hospital yesterday suffering from a horse kick in the abdomen. He was subjected to a severe surgical operation and it is thought he will recover.

H. N. Morse, Sheriff of Alameda county, has prepared a bill to be presented to the Legislature establishing a State detective force. It is contemplated to have a chief and a corps of State detectives not exceeding ten in number, to be commissioned for a term of four years, with the head office in San Francisco. Their duties shall include the procuring of evidence for the detection of crime and assisting the Sheriff and other peace officers in the pursuit of fugitive criminals.

Jos. Willis who obtains his standing on the Barbary coast from the fact of being the fancy man of the notorious Carrie Mortimer, took umbrage at some remarks of San Francisco, a colored woman, and knocked her down yesterday, and then kicked her nearly to death. The case was continued in the Police Court to-day to await the result of the inquests.

A contractor named J. C. Cleary, while riding a vicious horse in the vicinity of Pine and Larkin streets yesterday afternoon, was pitched out of the saddle and fell upon the horn, receiving a rupture in the groin from which he can hardly recover.

Judge Daingerfield decided to-day that Rosenblatt was legally in the custody of the Chief of Police, where he now is. Rosenblatt was up before the Police Court to-day and the case continued until Saturday, to await the arrival of an officer from New York.

The Antioch distillery case has been argued to-day by the counsel for the Government and defendant and will go to the Jury to-morrow.

The case of Philosopher Pickett against the Judges of the Supreme Court, comes up before the Twelfth District Court to-morrow.

Charles G. Root and Robert C. Schacht, the burglars who so extensively went through the residences in the Western addition some months ago, were placed on trial in the Municipal Court this morning on two indictments for burglary. There are nine indictments against Root and seven against Schacht. Root withdrew his plea of not guilty and threw himself on the clemency of the Court. A jury was empaneled to try Schacht, who was convicted on the first indictment. He pleaded guilty to the other indictment. The prisoners were ordered to appear for sentence February 5th. The remaining indictments will be dismissed after sentence has been passed.

Critical Condition of the Would-be Suicide.

SAN BERNARDINO, January 27th.—The man named Walker, who attempted suicide last Saturday night at Miller's hotel, was taken to prison last night, supposed to be insane. He tore the bandage from his wound and attempted to butt his brains out against the brick wall. He is in a critical condition and his recovery is doubtful. He has three children with a Mr. Reed, in San Gabriel cañon, who, on account of the high water, cannot get here to see him.

Grammar in Rhyme.

We advise every little grammarian just entering on the study to commit to memory the following lines, and then they need never make an error in regard to the parts of speech. The author, whoever he is, deserves much credit. With one exception—"Thirty days hath September"—it is the most useful poetical effusion we ever met with:

1. Three little words you often see, Are articles—"a," "an" and "the."
2. A Noun's the name of anything, As school, or garden, hoop or swing.
3. Adjectives tell the kind of Noun, As great, small, pretty, white or brown.
4. Instead of Nouns the Pronouns stand, Her head, his face, your arm, my hand.
5. Verbs tell of something to be done, To read, to count, to sing, to jump, to run.
6. How things are coming, the Adverbs tell, As slowly, quickly, late, or well.
7. Conjunctions join the words together, As men and women, wind and weather.
8. The Prepositions stand before a Noun, as of or through a door.
9. The Interjection shows surprise, As Ah! how proud you are to show wise.
10. The whole are called nine parts of speech, Which reading, writing, speaking, teach.

With some uncommonly fine heads of barley, we received the following letter from Orange:

EDITOR HERALD:—I enclose in this a few samples of a volunteer crop of barley growing near here, which will be ready to cut in about ten days. The last week's rain makes every one here feel good, as the crops are thereby insured. The owners of chickens are also happy in the absence for a few days of the "heathen Chinese" from this locality. Yours, &c., CONHONOR.

The Palace Hotel, San Francisco, can accommodate 1,000 guests, and charges \$4 a day for board; Occidental, 500 guests, \$3 per day for board; Grand, 400 guests, \$3 per day; Lick, 250 guests, \$3 per day; Cosmopolitan, 450 guests, \$3 per day; Russ, 400 guests, \$3 per day; Morton House, 300 guests, \$2 to \$2.50 per day; Brooklyn, 250 guests, \$2 to \$2.50 per day; American Exchange, 250 guests, \$1.50 to \$2.50 per day; International, 150 guests, \$1.50 per day.

Senator Sherman has addressed a long letter to Senator Burns, of Ohio, on the Presidential question, in which he says that the election of a Democratic President means the restoration to full power in the Government of the worst elements of the rebellion and the confederacy. The nomination of General Grant for the third term would be an act of suicide, for it would disrupt the Republican party, and he believes the nomination of Governor Hayes would give it more strength than any other man in the Republican party.

Ruxton & Rumble, Surveyors, Engineers and Draftsmen, have formed a co-partnership and have an office in Downey Block, No. 15, where those in need of their services can find them.

Attempt to Assassinate an Editor.

(From the San Bernardino Times of the 26th.)

Some time since we published an item concerning certain doings in town without giving names, dates or locations. Some officious individual sought out an innocent fellow by the name of Fred Heilerman, who had not the ability to read or the sense to understand it, the time was read to him, and, after much exertion on the part of his professed friends, he was made to believe that it was an attack on a female friend of his. The day succeeding the publication of the article in question the fellow made his appearance in our office, and after much talk and many threats on his part, we ordered him to leave the premises or we would hand him over to the officers. This was the end of the matter at that time and we supposed it forgotten. Not so, however, ignorant, savage natures bear resentment long, and it seems he had "nursed his wrath to keep it warm" until he should have an opportunity to vent his murderous designs into execution, and as we were approaching our residence on Saturday night, unarmed and with no means of defence, the fellow sprang upon us in the darkness and struck us what he intended should be a stunning blow upon the head; fortunately it fell upon a heavy hat which rendered the blow comparatively harmless. A second blow we warded off with our arm, a third we avoided and a fourth grazed our shoulder as we were passing in the gate. Had the villain got a fair blow he would have accomplished his infernal design of murdering us without noise and without witnesses.

A medical man discoursing upon sleep, makes this remark: "One man may do with a little less sleep than another; but as a general rule, if you were a clerk, a lieutenant, a lawyer, a physician, a legislator, a president or a pastor, do not trust your interest to any man who does not take on the average eight good solid hours of sleep out of every twenty-four. Whatever may be his reason for it, if he does not give himself that, he will sap sometime just when you want him to be strong."

A despatch from Reno to-day announces that the Algonquians are making a general movement. There is heavy firing around San Sebastian. Eight battalions are advancing on the neighborhood of the Algonquians. The Algonquians are rapidly gaining ground in the neighborhood of Lesarte and Oquarun. No idea can be formed of the losses on either side.

The reasons why the Central Pacific Railroad Company will not issue excursion tickets to the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia, are given by their passenger agent. If concession were made, the regular passenger business would be ruined, since no one would go East without an excursion ticket, which he would sell at Omaha, or some point beyond. Another difficulty occurred in the impossibility of satisfying the public with any reasonable reduction.

The London Times yesterday morning had a letter from Constantinople, which gives the details of great suffering among the Armenian Christians from the cruelty of the Turkish rulers and the unrestrained rapine of the Kurds. Many of the Christians are confessing conversion to Islamism, in the hope of escaping oppression.

Mr. M. E. Hodgkins, a live Yankee from Bangor, Maine, is building himself a mansion on the hill opposite the residence of Mr. Littlefield.

DIED.

WALKER.—In this city, on the 27th inst., of consumption, R. S. Walker.

FUNERAL to-day at 2 o'clock P. M., from his late residence.

CALDWELL.—At Spadra, Jan. 12th, Minnie Sue, infant daughter of A. B. and Lizzie Caldwell.

Another infant son hath passed through the "dark valley and shadow of death"—another little one sold on the sunny banks of sweet deliverance—another darling child "climbed the golden stair"—another home rendered desolate. The unseen sent by our Heavenly Father hath borne another precious bud to the fairer garden of Paradise. Weep not, dear parents, though your jewel be broken; your precious babe is sweetly singing in yon bright land of glory and light. Little Willie and Sue are waiting for you "over there."

"You will meet again when life is o'er, When sad farewells of earth have all been given; Where waiting sickness comes no more, But life unending will be yours in heaven."

MATTHEE LEE.

San Gabriel, Jan. 20th, 1876.

NEW TO-DAY.

Notice to the Public.

FROM and after February 1st I have no agents for the sale of my property in Los Angeles.

W. K. CREED.

WANTED.—A German girl or woman to do general housework in a small family.

Apply to Mrs. Nessler's, Spring street, between Third and Fourth.

FOR SALE.—35 acres of irrigable land, 15 miles from court house. Apply to J. L. McCallister, room 15 Temple Block.

Farewell Concert

—OF THE—

ORIGINAL

TENNESSEE

JUBILEE SINGERS.

Turn-Verein Hall.

Sunday Night, January 30th.

ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME

Admission.....\$1.00

Gallery......50

No extra charge for reserved seats at Louis Lewin & Co.'s Book Store.

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BUILDING ASSOCIATION

Offer for sale

ONE first-class house on Charity street, near Second, with bath room and all modern improvements.

Inquire at office, on Second street.

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Two Grand Concerts

—AT—

TURN-VEREIN HALL.

Saturday and Monday Evenings.

JAN. 29TH AND 31ST, 1876.

Wm. B. Bradbury's Cantata of

ESTHER

The Beautiful Queen;

Under direction of D. S. Hakes, assisted by the best talent of the city, comprising a Grand Chorus of seventy voices.

Rich and Dazzling Costumes,

Combined with

Brilliant Scenic Effects,

Will cast a glow of dazzling radiance over the scene.

Admission.....\$1.00

Children under 12 years......50

Reserved seats can be secured at the Book Store of Louis Lewin without extra charge.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Commence at 8.

LENTON & WARE'S

COMBINATION!

—AND—

COMIC OPERA

BURLESQUE COMPANY.

The Lenton Troupe of Acrobats.

The Only Treble Somersault Throwers

In the World!

Mr. George Ware,

Actor, Author and Buffo Singer.

The Greatest Acrobatic Performers

In the World!

Turn-Verein Hall,

February 7th.

Admission, - 50 Cts. and \$1.

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Owing to an important change,

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1st of next month,

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—ON—

Wednesday, Jan. 19th,

To sell our

ENTIRE STOCK

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DRY GOODS,

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AT AND BELOW COST!

We invite the Public to call

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Will and Must be Sold,

WITHOUT RESERVE.

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PROPRIETORS OF THE

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MAIN STREET,

Under Lafayette Hotel.

Boston Brown Bread

—AND—

BAKED BEANS

Every Sunday morning.

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German, Milk, Graham, Rye and Wheat

BREAD,

EVERY MORNING.

Leave orders at the American Bread and Cracker Bakery, corner First and Main streets.

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Interest to All!!

—AT THE—

GREAT OPENING

Capitol Store!

\$75,000

—WORTH OF—

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Clothing,

BOOTS, SHOES and HATS,

CARPETS,

OIL CLOTHS

AND MATTINGS,

ETC., ETC.,

MUST BE SOLD,

And therefore will be offered

Fifty Per Cent. Cheaper

Than ever before.

BARGAINS

Will be given to all.

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CAPITOL STORE,

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Near the Post Office,

LOS ANGELES.

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—ON THE—

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ON TUESDAY, FEB. 1st, 1876,

At 10 o'clock A. M.

We will offer for sale, at public auction, for account of P. BEAUDRY, some of the

Most Beautiful Residence Property in the City.

The Payments will be made in monthly installments. By this means every one can obtain a beautiful home, and the laboring man can invest his earnings to far better advantage than even in the savings banks.

Any lot purchased at this time is certain to enhance in value during the next few months, and by the time the last installment will be come due the lot will be worth at least 100 per cent. advance.

ABOUT 40 LOTS

Will be offered, among which are

Six Lots

On the corner of Fourth and Charity streets, in front of Mr. Saxe's residence, in the Beaudry Tract. Also,

Three Lots

Adjoining Mr. Stump's residence, in the Mott Tract. Also,

Four Lots

Between Second and Third streets, fronting on Banker Hill avenue and Charity street, and West of Mrs. Clapp's residence, in the Beaudry Tract. Also,

Three Lots

On Olive street, West side, between Third and Fourth streets. Also,

One Lot

On Olive street, between the Court House and First street, north of Dr. Collier's house; and

A Few Lots

Remaining unsold in the Park View Tract, bounded by Temple street on the South, Pearl street on the West, Canal and Reservoir street on the North, and Philadelphia street on the East.

Terms as Follows:

All lots under \$100, payable in monthly installments of \$25; lots valued at \$100 to \$200, \$25 installments; lots valued at \$200 to \$500, \$50 installments; lots valued at \$500 to \$1,000, \$50 installments. Interest on all unpaid portions at one per cent. per month.

The right of the purchaser to be assignable by him and his assigns to succeed to all